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## Freedom.

BY WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT. O Freedom! thou art not, as poets dream, A fair young girl, with light and delicate limbs, And wavy tresses gushing from the cap, With which the Roman master crowned his slave When he took off the gyves. A bearded man, Armed to the teeth, art thou; one mailed hand Grasps the broad shield, and one the sword; thy brow, Glorious in beauty though it be, is scarred With tokens of old wars ; thy massive limbs Are strong with struggling. Power at thee has launched His bolts, and with his light..ings smitten thee. They could not quench the life thou hast from Heaven ;

Merciless Power has dug thy dungeon deep, And his swart armorers, by a thousand fires, Have forged thy chain; yet, while he deems thee bound, The links are shivered, and prison walls Fall outward; terribly thou springest forth, As springs the flame above a burning pile, And shoutest to the nations, who return

## VARIETY.

Thy shoutings, while the pale oppressor flies.

Do not insult the under man in a fight by telling him there is plenty of room on top. A man who has repeatedly tried them, says that all the short cuts to fortune are horribly

Painful questions by the Sultan-" Is this Turkey, or is it merely a portion of England, Rus-

sin, Austria and other countries?" "You may break, you may shatter the vase, if you will," but the frightful keramics pasted on by the women folks will stick to it still.

There is such a difference between members of the same family. For instance there's the Bility family, such a difference between A. Bility and D. Bility.

Edison's latest invention measures pressure. We shall now find out how much hugging a girl can stand before her ribs begin to break. Restaurant patron-" These sausages are hard-

ly up to the mark." Waiter-" they ain't, eh? Well, d'ye expect Italian greyhound and thoroughbred Scotch terrier for two bits?" The circumstance that the words man and

woman are again coming into use is urged as an evidence of advancing civilization. "See here, wife, you indulge that boy too

much. He is a perfect mule." "Oh husband please don't accuse our boy of having an ass for a father." The old man was silent. The scientist who lays down as a principle that the animal system " does not admit of two

excitements at the same time," has never seen a small boy with a bumble bee under his bat and another in the slack of his pants. A man whose knowledge is based on actual experience says that when calling on their sweet-

hearts young men should carry affection in their hearts, perfection in their manners, and confection in their pockets. The name of the phonograph in German is unsergehausnekeitigenfernstehauphfteichtaunsge-

spreecher. When you wind that up on the cylinder, and leave it till it gets cold, and then grind it out, it usually tears the machine to pieces and strikes the house with the lightning .- Burlington Hawkeye. It is said that when Ben Butler gets up in the

morning he looks in the thermometer to see which political party he belongs to for the day. When the mercury, at eight A. M., marks eighty degrees or over, Ben is-But politics are eschewed in this column.

Epigram by a poor poet gazing on the Goddess of Liberty on one of the new dollars-the same being his bottom coin:

Alas! too soon we part! A tear starts in its socket; Thou'rt in my heart, But rarely in my pocket.

The seventh article in the will of a late citizen of New Orleans reads : "Whereas, it seems that my son John is inclined to play poker, which is a dangerous game to tinker with, unless you know what you are doing; therefore I leave my son John \$10,000, that he may go to Halifax, N. C., and learn how to play the game.

A Ute Indian died recently near Cimmaron, New Mexico. His tribe buried him in good Indian style, killing his horses so that he would have something to ride in the happy hunting grounds. They would have killed his widow, but as she was old and ugly they came to the conclusion that if he could not find a younger and prettier one is his new home, he had better go it alone.

Major Pitcairn, British officer at Concord and Lexington was a joker-mayhap a saucy one. Among the relics of the old Christ church at Boston is an ancient singing-book, on the fly-leaf of which is written :- "Major Pitcairn's compliments to the head singer, with the request that she will not sing quite so loudly, as it is impossible for him to sleep."

A Chinaman, engaged as a servant in a restaurant, was prevailed upon to eat some ice cream. When he got up from the floor, he sadly remarked: "Melican man makee cold vittles too dam hot. Cookee John's mouth allee skin off, allee same likee fi' clackel. John plactice on hot flat-ilon, may be eat some day

If the marriage service could only be so modified and amended as to include the lighting of the morning fires among the other obligations assumed by the bride, there wouldn't be so many old bachelors jabbing their fingers with darning needles and shivering around in the

A young Oil citizen calls his sweetheart Rewenge, because she is sweet .- Oil City Derrick. And the young married man on South Hill calls his mother-in-law Delay, because she is dangerous .- Burlington Hawkeye. And a South End anam calls his wife Fact, because she is a stubborn thing .- Boston Globe. And a fourth wife of a District Attorney calls him Necessity, because he knows no law .- New Orleans Times. And a Cincinnati man calls his coachman Proerastination, because he stole his watch.-Breakfast Table. A San Francisco wife calls her husband Fool, because he rushes in where angels fear to tread .- Chronicle.

Some Facts About Moustaches,-The Danbury News says: "Henry" writes to learn why it is that one side of a moustache curls more easily than the other. He says that the right side of his naturally curls upward, while the opposite end of his as naturally loops downward. This not a natural function of the moustache. It is in the training. If the owner of the moustache is unmarried the curl of the moustache indicates on which side of a young lady he most frequently sits. For instance, if on her right side the left hand and arm have an office of their own to fill, the hand of the right arm is left free to toy with that side of the moustache, and curling up the end is its favorite pastime. This is reversed if the left side is

preferable to him. As a general thing it will be found that woung men's moustaches curl on the right side. If the wearer is married the curl indicates on which side of the church is his pew. If on the right of the church the curl will be on the left of the moustache, as this position throws his left elbow on the back of the seat, thus bringing the left hand to his face, when the fingers naturally fall to work at once. The reverse occurs if the pew is on the opposite side. Henry can rely on this information as the result of years of study and research into moustache statis-



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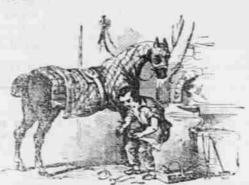
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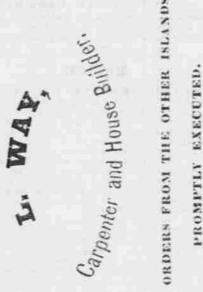
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